FESTIVAL OF THE 12th BIRTHDAY OF TOC H: TALBOT HOUSE, POPERINGHE, DEC. 11th, 1915



PROGRAMME

of the GUEST-NIGHT

Held in the Royal Albert Hall, London, on December 3rd, 1927



Members are reminded that if they insist on smoking during the programme in the Hall, they will not be able to see the platform or to sing themselves.

The Order of Events

- 1. 8 p.m. Arrival of H.R.H. THE PATRON: the Guest-night opens.
- 2. The Family of Toc H assembled will try to sing:
 - (a) Ilkley Moor (Toc I-I Song Book, No. xvii).
 - (b) Bobby Shafto (No. 12).
 - (c) Three Blind Mice-etc. !
 - (d) Billy Boy (No. 32).
 - (c) Shenandoah (No. xiii.) Solo part by HAROLD WILLIAMS.
- 3. H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES will speak.
- 4. More singing, as follows:-
 - (a) Drink to me only with thine eyes (No. 16).
 - (b) Swing low, sweet chariot (No. 60). Solo part by HAROLD WILLIAMS.
 - (c) Non nobis, Domine (No. 104).

INTERVAL OF FIFTEEN MINUTES.

At the end of the interval buglers will sound the "Fall In" and members are particularly asked to take their seats at once to make way for what follows.

- Entry of the PRINCE OF WALES' LAMP during which the audience, standing, will sing The Inheritance (No. vi).
- 2. Entry of the Lamps, Rushlights and Banners of Branches and Groups during which the audience, seated, will sing The Battle Hymn (No. iv).
- First lighting by H.R.H. THE PATRON of the LAMPS OF MAINTENANCE of the new Branches (see opposite page).
- 4. The CEREMONY OF "LIGHT."

 After which will be sung Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven (No 87, first 2 verses).
- 5. Tubby will speak.
- 6. Prayers, conducted by Padre Owen Watkins, Deputy Chaplain General.
- 7. The singing of Jerusalem (No. ii.).

The National Anthem.

- The Trumpeters of the Royal Horse Guards (Blue), by kind permission of Lt.-Col. Lord A. R. Innes-Kerr, D.S.O., Commanding.
- The Band and Buglers of H.M. Welsh Guards, by kind permission of Col. T. R. C. Price, C.M.G., D.S.O., Lt.-Col. Commanding.
- Mr. Harold Williams appears by kind permission of the Columbia Graphophone Co., Ltd.

The number of the Branch, in order of foundation, precedes the name, and the date of its promotion from Group status is shown in brackets. The Memorial inscriptions are engraved on two bronze plates affixed to the oak casket of the Lamp. The following list shows the order in which the Branches, coming forward in pairs, will have their Lamps lit by H.R.H. the Patron.

Overseas Branches

- 124. AUCKLAND, N.Z. (December 8, 1926).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 132. MADRAS (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 133. CALCUTTA (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 134. BOMBAY (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 137. COLOMBO (November 2, 1927).—In memory of Murray Chamberlain Gervase Mathew, Lt., 28th Punjabis (attached 14th Sikhs). Died of wounds received in the Dardanelles 4.7.1915; and of Helen Marjorie Mathew, Sister, T.F. Nursing Service, who died 16.7.1923 of the effects of illness contracted on active service.

 (Given by their mother).
- 138. DURBAN, Natal (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 146. GRAHAMSTOWN, Eastern Province (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not jet dedicated).
- 147. JOHANNESBURG CENTRAL, Transvaal (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 148. YEOVILLE, Transvaal (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 154. ALICE, Eastern Province (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).
- 155. BLOEMFONTEIN, Orange Free State (November 2, 1927).—(Lamp not yet dedicated).

Home Branches

125. WEYBRIDGE (July 6, 1927).—The Reg. Hawker Lamp: In memory of our Comrade Reginald Hawker who served in the R.A.F. in the Great War. Died 31.12.1926.

(Given by the Branch).

- 126. GREAT YARMOUTH (November 2, 1927).—THE DRIFTER LAMP: In memory of the men of the Drifter Patrol who gave their lives for their Country in the Great War.

 (Given by Sir Ion Hamilton Benn and Major Ion Benn).
- 127. GRIMSBY (November 2, 1927).—THE NOBLE FLEMING JENKINS LAMP: In memory of Brig.-General Noble Fleming Jenkins, C.M.G., C.B.E., who gave his life in attempting to rescue a girl from drowning, St. Leonards-on-Sea, 19.8.1927.

 (Given by his widow).
- 128. SPETISBURY-CUM-CHARLTON (November 2, 1927).—The Kennaway Lamp: In memory of Arthur Lewis Kennaway, Lt., 1st Queen's Own Dorset Yeomanry, Suvla Bay. 21.8.1915.

 (Given by his father and mother).
- 129. RICHMOND (November 2, 1927).—The "Star and Garter" Lamp: Given by Annie, Viscountess Cowdray.
- 130. SCARBOROUGH (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Scarborough and District.

 (Given by the Branch).

131. SOUTHEND (November 2, 1927).—OSWALD'S LAMP: In memory of OSWALD TILLEY, London Rifle Brigade. Died of wounds 30.4.1915. Age 19.

(Given by his father and mother).

135. GRANGETOWN (November 2, 1927).—THE PARNELL PARNELL LAMP: In memory of JOHN ATHERTON PARNELL PARNELL, 1st Gloucester Regiment. Somme. 8.9.1916. (Given by his mother).

136. HULME (November 2, 1927).—The Peter Cunliffe Lamp: In memory of E. N. CUNLIFFE, Lt.-Col., R.A.M.C. Died 31.3.1919, aged 41 years.

(Given by Mrs. Harriet Cunliffe).

139. LOUTH (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Louth: "They shall grow not old."

(Given by the Branch).

140. WATERLOO, Liverpool (November 2, 1927).

141. BOLTON 9 (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Bolton: "They shall grow not old."

(Given by the Branch).

142. GAINSBOROUGH (November 2, 1927).

(Given by Sir Hickman B. Bacon).

143. WEST SHEFFIELD (November 2, 1927).—THE COWAN LAMP: In memory of Joseph COWAN, Cpl., Civil Service Rifles (later attd. 11th Rifle Brigade). Cambrai. 30.11.1917. (Given by his brother),

144. ENFIELD (November 2, 1927).

145. CHESTERFIELD (November 2, 1927).—In memory of HERBERT LACK, Ptc., 12th Yorks and Lancs. Regt. Died 2.7.1916 at Rouen; also of ARNOLD JEPHSON, Ptc., King's Liverpool Regt. Killed at Arras 17.5.1917; and of Frederick Charles Jephson, 2/6 Sherwood Foresters. Killed at Cambrai, 14.12.1917; also of F. B. Robinson, Capt., 1/6 Sherwood Foresters. Died of wounds at Gommecourt 3.7.1916; also of T. Peveril Mar-GERESON, L.-Cpl., 2nd Batt. Sherwood Foresters. Died at Potchefstroom, South Africa, 2.9.1901.

(Given by their relatives).

149. LEWES (November 2, 1927).—THE FAITHFUL SERVICE LAMP: To the memory of a life of faithful service.

(Given anonymously).

150. MEXBOROUGH (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Mexborough: "They shall grow not old."

(Given by the Branch).

151. COLWYN BAY (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Colwyn Bay: "They shall grow not old."

(Given by Lord Colwyn).

152. ST. HELENS (November 2, 1927).—THE GEORGE GAMBLE LAMP: In memory of GEORGE GAMBLE, 2nd Lt., Rifle Brigade, attd. 2nd Batt. Died in No. 25 Field Ambulance, France, 24.9.1917, of wounds received at Pont Achelles, Nieppe.

(Given by William Evans).

153. BRIGHOUSE (November 2, 1927).—In memory of the Elder Brethren of Brighouse and District: "They shall grow not old."

(Given by the Branch).